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DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

DATES TO FEBRUARY 15.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, Feb. [illegible].—In the Senate, Conness introduced a bill to authorize the construction of a lateral branch of the Baltimore and Potomac railroad. Referred.

Morton reported the action of the committee to notify Grant and Colfax of their election, and submitted the replies of these gentlemen accepting their offices.

Howard, from the Joint Committee on Ordnance, made a long report, accompanied by a bill to consolidate the Ordnance Department with the Artillery.

On motion of Sawyer the Senate considered the bill to pay officers appointed in the South by the Secretary of the Treasury, who would not take the test oath. Sawyer spoke in favor of the bill.

Conness was willing to pay loyal men, but he opposed indiscriminate payment.

A colloquy of some length ensued between Sawyer, Conness, Nye and other Senators.

Fessenden and Harker explained the reasons why these men had been appointed. They said Congress should not hesitate to pay them. The discussion was continued by several Senators, when further consideration was postponed and the Senate took up the *Indian Appropriation* bill.

Numerous amendments were reported by the Committee and agreed to.

Harker said other amendments would be proposed by the Committee. *On his motion the bill* was laid over.

Several private bills passed when the Senate took a recess.

In the House, among the bills introduced was one to pay women in government departments the same as men; another one giving discretion to the Secretary of the Treasury to sell thirty millions of surplus coin; another one proposing amendments to the Constitution, concerning the electoral votes; another providing that no United States subsidies be granted to railroads or other corporations while the national debt exceeds five hundred millions.

Hunter introduced a joint resolution giving the consent of Congress to the Northern Pacific railroad to issue bonds and secure the same by mortgage for the purpose of raising funds to build a road from Lake Superior to Puget Sound, also a branch to Portland, Oregon. Passed.

Judd offered a joint resolution to prevent the sale of public lands except as provided in the pre-emption and homestead laws. Referred to the Committee on Public Lands, 103 to 70.

In reply to an inquiry, Schenck said he expected to get the tax bill through both Houses this session if members would attend evening sessions.

Farnsworth said the contrary impression prevailed.

On motion of Boutwell, the rules were suspended and the Senate amendment to the joint *resolution proposing the Constitutional Amendment* was taken up.

Butwell said he considered the amendment impracticable and moved the House non-concur and *ask a Committee of Conference.* Several members stated their views in regard to the proposed amendment.

On motion of Schofield, a separate vote was *taken on the Senate amendment.* First, on concurring with the Senate amendment in regard to suffrage. The vote stood ayes 37, noes 132.

The amendments were not concurred in and a Committee of Conference was ordered.

Wilson, of Iowa, Dawes being in the Chair, reported the action of the Joint Committee to notify Grant and Colfax of their election. The report was ordered entered on the Journal.

Paine, from the Reconstruction Committee, reported a bill relieving a large number of persons of disabilities. Without disposing of the bill the House took a recess.

The evening session will be devoted exclusively to a discussion of the tax bill.

Boutwell, Shellabarger, and Eldridge were appointed a Committee of Conference on the proposed Constitutional Amendment.

In the House, evening session, in Committee of the Whole, an amendment passed extending the time for the withdrawal of spirits from bonded warehouses from April 20, 1869, to the same date in 1870; also requiring whisky kept in bond after the first date, to pay one cent monthly per gallon. Adjourned.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—In the Supreme Court to day, Chief Justice Chase delivering the opinion, it was decided that gold contracts must be satisfied with coin. When the kind of currency is not mentioned legal tenders are lawful. Davis and Swayne gave a qualified assent, but Miller dissented.

The application for a writ of *habeas corpus* for Spangler and Arnold, the Dry Tortugas prisoners, will soon be argued.

The President to-day sent to the Senate the treaty negotiated by Caleb Cushing for the Isthmus canal.

The remains of Harold, one of the Lincoln assassination conspirators, were given on Saturday, by order of the President, to his mother, and in*terred in the Congregational cemetery. An order* was given for the delivery of the body of Atzerodt to his friends. Booth's remains will also be given up for interment in Baltimore, near the grave of his mother.

New York News.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Judge McAllister's wid*ow died at New York on Saturday.*

Pork quiet and steady at $32 50 for new mess. Beef rather unsteady and in moderate demand. Quotations unchanged. Butter quiet at 24@35c *for Ohio.*

An immense mass meeting of citizens favorable to the freedom of Ireland and the liberation of American citizens imprisoned in England was held this evening at Cooper Institute. Mayor Hall presided and made an eloquent speech denouncing the disregard of the rights of American citizens by England, and claiming that a further exhibition of apathy on the subject would be disgraceful to the United States as a nation. Other speeches were made and a resolution was adopted affirming the right of foreign born citizens to the protection of the flag.

Destructive Fire.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 15.—Bloomfield & Co.'s melodeon and organ factory at Bloomfield was burnt to-day. Loss, $50,000. Eighty mechanics are thrown out of employment.

SCRANTON, Feb. 15.—The First Methodist Church parsonage, and another dwelling were burned to day.

Snow Storm in Canada.

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—A heavy snow storm has prevailed since last night. The roads are blocked. It is reported that the late snow storm entailed extra expenses of $100,000 to the Grand Trunk *Railroad.*

From Cuba.

HAVANA, Feb. 15.—The city of Trinidad, western department, has been declared in a state of siege. In the engagement between the troops and the revolutionists at Mancargua [illegible] accounts claim the victory for the Government. No report of losses on either side.

THE FLAG.—The Sacramento *Bee* says that as the League who [illegible] men from the mills, near Union [illegible] were marching through the streets [illegible] an American flag a Democrat [illegible] would join a posse to [illegible] them. [illegible] many people [illegible] tried [illegible] came out at a little end of a large [illegible] But [illegible] It would be treason [illegible] or trample upon that flag [illegible] *position to commit in view of the lessons of* the past.

THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT GETTING VACCINATED.—[illegible] in business circles in this city, says the San Francisco *Spirit of the Times,* [illegible] died of the small pox during the recent epidemic. This fact is not remarkable in itself [illegible] the deceased was the only one [illegible] to be vaccinated, although he was repeatedly solicited to submit to the operation. He laughed at the idea, and as a consequence [illegible] Lone Mountain.

Shakespeare at Rehearsal.

Let me be very [illegible] question which [illegible] S. Scott [illegible] ple without paring [illegible] and Shakespeare [illegible] even at rehearsal, because [illegible] stage [illegible] head while the [illegible] sought to say their words [illegible] strove to catch any whisper [illegible] which [illegible] that must have been [illegible] think [illegible] Ben Jonson [illegible] him a good deal about tobacco. "File's pupil Jeremy," is the last important speech in the "Alchemist." But in his own time I have no doubt that W. Shakespeare walked up and down the front of the stage and attended to the business *as familiarly* as any other dramatist. When rehearsing the "Merry Wives," or "As You Like It," he must have been "on" constantly, as he used to play *George Page* and *Adam.* Let us suppose the "Merry Wives of Windsor" "called" and everybody there. I am not going to parade authorities, or to attempt to be accurate as to details, because that is not the point. Answer this. Did the stage manager, after the first scene with *Sir Hugh Evans,* come and whisper to the author that the Welsh was overdone, and that he had better cut out a lot of it. Did *Falstaff* come and say that his entrance was a capital one, but that he had nothing to do in the scene except kiss *Mrs. Ford* once, to which did the poet merrily rejoin that he might kiss her twice if he liked? Did *Master Slender* protest good-naturedly, against being made such a complete fool, and did our William tell him that he was no fool at all, as was shown by his describing to *Anne* his valor, his wealth, and his future household—the way to a woman's heart? Did they all agree that the act ended a little flat, "don't you feel?" and did Shakespeare own that, and give *Mrs. Quickly* a start and an outcry to go off with? Did *Mrs. Quickly,* later in the play declare, with sundry strong expressions, pardonable in a man, that he had never had a better part in his life, but it was hard work to get such words right they were so good? And when *Mr. Page* had to begin, *had the author managed to forget his own* words, and did he open with new ones laughingly asserting his right to speak any words he pleased, provided he worked up to the cues? I suppose that he must have been a most delightful author to rehearse with, because, in the first place, he knew exactly what he himself meant, and because, in the second place, he was so marvelously able to guide other people to the expression of his meaning. If he were no great actor (a contested *point*) *he certainly knew miraculously well* what great acting was. But I rather suspect that with him business was business, and that though, like the aforesaid Ben, he could be "nobly wild—not mad," at all fitting seasons, he did not play at play-acting, or his works would be less perfect than they are. In reading some of the old dramatists, it is impossible not to feel that work is often scamped, and that scenes are dragged in for some other reason than because they are wanted. This never, I think, occurs in Shakespeare. I dare say that he considered well where "cuts" were wanted, and made them, and we may as well remember that the wish he had dotted out a thousand lines, if it were ever expressed, was the utterance of a man whose longsomeness is oftened afflicted. I have always imagined Shakespeare as a thorough "work man," and as one who, with all due gentleness, made others work in earnest for the good of the theatre. But he must *have been geniality itself after a play* had gone well and the Queen had dismissed him from her gracious presence. What a night at the Mermaid after one of Mr W. Shakespeare's plays had been announced for repetition on certain days until further notice! If some of us had to write notices of the performance—but one could speculate on this until the *Era Almanac* for 1870 should be in preparation.—*Shirley Brooks in the Era Almanac,* 1869.

Naturalization.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN RESPECTING THE NATURALIZATION OF IMMIGRANTS.

WASHINGTON, Sunday, Jan 24.—Below will be found the naturalization protocol agreed upon by the representatives of the United States and British Governments on the question of naturalization. A familiar treaty has been agreed to between Belgium and the United States, and has been sent to the State for ratification. Also a treaty with Peru, almost identical with that with England, providing for the settlement of all claims.

The undersigned, Reverdy Johnson, Esq, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of America, and Edward Henry, Lord Stanley, of Bickerstaff, Her Brittanic Majesty's principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, being respectively authorized and empowered to place on record the desire of the President of the United States of America and Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to regulate the citizenship of citizens of the United States of America who have emigrated or may emigrate from the United States of America to British dominions, and of British subjects who have emigrated or who may emigrate from the British dominions to the United States *of America, have agreed upon the following pro*tocol:

First. Such citizens as aforesaid of the United States who have become or shall become, and are *naturalized according to law within the British* dominions as British subjects, shall, subject to the provisions of articles 2 and 4, be held by the United States to be, in all respects and for all purposes, British subjects, and shall be treated as such by the United States. Reciprocally, such British subjects as aforesaid who have become or shall become and are naturalized according to law within the United States as subjects thereof, shall, subject to the provisions of article 2 or 4, be held by Great Britain to be in all respects and for all purposes, American citizens, and shall be treated as such by Great Britain.

Second. Such United States citizens as aforesaid who have become and are naturalized within the British dominions as British subjects, and such British subjects as aforesaid who have become and are naturalized as citizens within the United States shall be at liberty to renounce their naturalization and to resume their native allegiance, [illegible] renunciation be [illegible] within two years after the [illegible] have been carried into effect, as provided by article [illegible] be [illegible] agreed upon by the respective Governments.

Third. [illegible] such American citizens as aforesaid [illegible] United States [illegible] the British [illegible] his own application [illegible] whatever [illegible] naturalization.

Fourth. [illegible] into Parliament such [illegible] of the existing laws as [illegible] principles involved, it is agreed that this protocol shall not take effect until such legislation shall be [illegible] The British Government will introduce measures into Parliament for this purpose as speedily as may be possible, having regard to the [illegible] private interests which may be affected by a change in the laws of naturalization and allegiance now under consideration [illegible] *the Royal Commission whose report is expected* [illegible]. The same provision not being [illegible] by the Constitution and laws of the United States, this article is not made reciprocal.

Done at London the ninth of October, eighteen hundred and sixty eight.

REVERDY JOHNSON,
STANLEY.

Colossal Fortunes.

The inequalities of fortune have constituted the theme of countless effusions in all ages and in all climes, and men are but little better for all that has been written. When Senator Wade let off a few common place remarks on the subject, property owners sensitively took the alarm and raised such a clamor that the Senator was frightened at his own words. But we doubt if any ordinary person can contemplate, without serious misgivings, the announcement that Baron Rothschild, who recently died in Paris, was worth two thousand millions of francs, or four hundred millions of dollars. It was observed at the time that he *was a charitable man, and that the poor of Paris* deplored his loss deeply.

Yet during all the long weary years that he was engaged in amassing that stupendous fortune, men and women were starving to death, or committing suicide from want in that very city of Paris. Who can tell the multitude of unfortunates who, wrecked in fortune by the changes on the Bourse wrought and controlled by this man, have plunged into eternity to escape suffering and reproach? Who can tell how often the loaves of the baker have been reduced and the poor punished, because some of Rothschild's operations had run up the flour market? Who can tell how many widows and orphans have had their little all engulfed in the maelstrom of fiscal operations that brought ruin to thousands and fortuned him?

Charity! How many millions did he give to the poor? In order to be truly charitable he ought to have devoted about half his fortune to such persons, for nothing else would have relieved him of the responsibility for the evil he had wrought in seeking to pile up such tremendous hoards. Stephen Girard achieved a colossal fortune in commerce, but he left the bulk of it to educate orphan children of the poor. John McDonough, of New Orleans, followed his example. George Peabody has not waited for his death bed to warn him of his duty. He has given his millions to the needy.

But these are American millionaires and inspired with the *American ideas of the greatest* good of the greatest number. How could any one expect such things of men like the Rothschilds? It is related of this one, who died worth *four hundred millions of dollars,* that when Audubon, the great naturalist, was about to publish his famous work on ornithology, he waited on the millionaire with a letter of introduction, was treated rudely, refused a subscription, ordered to send his book when printed; and when it was so sent was refused his price. If perhaps required such a soul to amass such a fortune.

He could no take his money with him into the next world. In fact all he carried with him to the grave was a wooden box. But he still contrived to let the evil of his system survive him. For the wealth of the Rothschilds is jealously guarded against division by preventing the children from marrying out of the family. Even to the day of his death he managed to keep those nearest to him ignorant of half his wealth by opening a great number of accounts in false names.

How often have the schemes of this [illegible] Rothschild produced embarrassment in the markets of America? How often has he not spread ruin over thousands of our countrymen by means of influences centering in his house in London and Paris, over which no American could have any control? There have been times when such men were supposed to have rendered great public *services by the command of fiscal resources.* But the present Emperor of France has emancipated governments from dependence on this class by means of his great popular loans raised by appeal to the whole mass of the people. That invention has exploded the bubble on which the reputations of men like Rothschild has been resting. In any age, in any country, under any circumstances, such colossal fortunes are nuisances. So far from benefitting the people in any way, they increase the downward tendencies of the poorer class, and all the benevolence the millionaires can [illegible] by their gifts or bequests will not atone for the misery they inflict upon millions of the human race.

THE ADMINISTRATION OF GEN. GRANT.—Professor James Russell Lowell thus refers to the administration of General Grant in the *North American Review* for January. We look forward with well-grounded confidence to the administration of Gen. Grant. Elected, it may be said, in spite of both parties, but in sympathy with the more judicious of the party of progress, he will be independent of the extremists, whether of blind advance or blinder reaction. Knowing, by the most thorough experience, the men he has conquered and the men he has led, he will know how to deal firmly with one side and to moderate the other. As a soldier he has been schooled to look forward to remote results rather than to be over-confident in immediate success. He has shown an indomitable consistency in plans well considered and justified by good fortune. He has chosen his lieutenants with instinctive felicity, and done justice to their merit with almost unexampled magnanimity. He possesses beyond most men that virtue of moderation which so many American politicians eschew as unpopular. Above all, he has an almost heroic gift of silence which prevents him from allowing himself to be dragged from his moorings by the strong current of eloquence, and after*wards feeling bound to sacrifice* his sense of what is prudent to the tyranny of his own consistency. We think that his administration will disappoint those only who believe that words are more potent than things in the conduct of States, and in lasting influence on the conduct of men.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

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Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7 o'clock in Stark's building, third story, [illegible] Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are [illegible] attend. By order of N. G.
[illegible] February 18, 1868. dtf

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in Stark's building, third story, opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.
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The Wife.

From school, and ball, and rout she came,
The city's fair, pale daughter,
To drink the wine of mountain air
Beside the Bearcamp water.

Her step grew firmer on the hills
That watch our homesteads over;
On cheek and lip, from summer fields,
She caught the bloom of clover.

For health comes sparkling in the streams
From cool Chocorua stealing;
There's iron in our Northern winds,
Our pines are trees of healing.

She sat beneath the broad-armed elms,
That skirt the mowing meadow,
And watched the gentle west wind weave
The grass with shine and shadow.

Beside her, from the summer heat,
To share her grateful screening,
With forehead bare, the farmer stood,
Upon his pitchfork leaning.

Framed in its damp, dark locks, his face
Had nothing mean or common—
Strong, manly, true, the tenderness
And pride beloved of woman.

She looked up, glowing, with the health
The country air had brought her,
And, laughing, said: "You lack a wife,
Your mother lacks a daughter.

To mend your frock and bake your bread,
You do not need a lady;
Be sure among these brown old homes
Is some waiting ready—

Some fair sweet girl with skillful hand
And cheerful heart for treasure,
Who never played with ivory keys,
Or danced the polka's measure."

He bent his black brows to a frown,
He set his white teeth tightly;
"'Tis well," he said, "for one like you
To choose for me so lightly.

You think, because my life is rude,
I take no note of sweetness;
I tell you love has naught to do
With meetness or unmeetness.

Itself its best excuse, it asks
No leave of pride or fashion
When silken zone or homespun frock
It stirs with throbs of passion.

You think me deaf and blind; you bring
Your winning graces hither
As free as if from cradle-time
We two had played together.

You tempt me with your laughing eyes,
Your cheek of sundown's blushes,
A motion as of waving grain,
A music as of thrushes.

The plaything of your summer sport,
The spells you weave around me
You cannot at your will undo,
Nor leave me as you found me.

You go as lightly as you came,
Your life is well without me;
What care you that these hills will close
Like prison walls about me?

No mood is mine to seek a wife,
Or daughter for my mother;
Who loves you loses in that love
The power to love another!

I dare your pity or your scorn,
With pride your own exceeding;
I fling my heart into your lap
Without a word of pleading."

She looked up in his face of pain
So archly, yet so tender:
"And if I lend you mine," she said,
"Will you forgive the lender?

Nor frock nor tan can hide the man;
And see you not, my farmer,
How weak and fond a woman waits
Behind this silken armor?

I love you on that love alone,
And not my worth, presuming;
Will you not trust for summer fruit
The tree in May-day blooming?"

Alone the hangbird overhead,
His hair-swung cradle straining,
Looked down to see love's miracle,—
The giving that is gaining.

And so the farmer found a wife,
His mother found a daughter;
There looks no happier home than hers
On pleasant Bearcamp water.

—*J. G. Whittier.*

Historical Whitewashing.—In Helps' Realmah one of the speakers thus very pleasantly burlesques the attempt so popular now-a-days to explain away the villainies of historical scoundrels: "I used to dislike Nero. I am now told that he was a most estimable gentleman, and has been quite misunderstood until the present time. If he fiddled at all, it was not during the fire but after the fire, to collect subscriptions for the sufferers."

Wild Shooting.—In his report of the battle of Murfreesboro, General Rosecrans says that twenty thousand discharges of cannon put only 728 men *hors du combat*, and out of two million musket shots no more than 13,330 took effect. It thus took 27 cannon balls and 150 bullets, or about 250 pounds of metal, to disable each soldier.

STOW FOUNDATION PAVEMENT.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 18, 1869.

Hon. Frank McCoppin, Mayor of San Francisco—Dear Sir: You have now been connected with our City Government as Supervisor and Mayor for the past nine years, during which time you must have given a great deal of attention to Street Paving, and I now ask it as a special favor to me, that you give briefly, in writing, the result of your convictions relative to the several kinds of street paving now in use in this city. By so doing you will much oblige

Your obedient servant,
H. F. WILLIAMS,
Pres't Stow Foundation Pavement Co.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20th, 1869.

Henry F. Williams, Esq., President of the S. F. P. Co.—Dear Sir: Your communication of yesterday, requesting me to give in writing my opinion relative to the several kinds of street pavement now in use in this city, *is before me*, and in reply I would say, that at the time I became a municipal officer of this city, in 1860, and for many years thereafter cobble-stone was the only kind of pavement used by the city in its corporate, and by individuals in their individual capacity. About five years ago the Nicolson pavement was introduced here by Mr. J. L. Brown, assignee of the owner of the patent, and was received with much favor by our citizens. Very many portions of our streets are now paved with the Nicolson Pavement, so-called—still later—that is to say, about two years ago, the "Stow Foundation Pavement" was introduced here by the inventor, and many of our public streets have since been paved with that pavement.

A sufficient length of time has, I think, elapsed, to enable any person who has given the subject any attention, to form an intelligent opinion as to the merits of the respective wooden pavements—of course, I leave the cobble-stones out of view entirely—and I have come to the conclusion, that, in many respects, such as adaptability to our wants and in durability, the Stow is the superior pavement. But, were the two pavements equal in every other respect, the facility with which the Stow can be taken up and relaid, whenever it becomes necessary to displace it for the purpose of laying down gas and water pipes, should, in my judgment, entitle it to preference and public favor.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
FRANK McCOPPIN,
Mayor of the City of San Francisco.

We, the undersigned, have carefully read the above letter from his Honor, Frank McCoppin, to H. F. Williams, Esq., upon the subject of street paving, and we fully indorse every word it contains.

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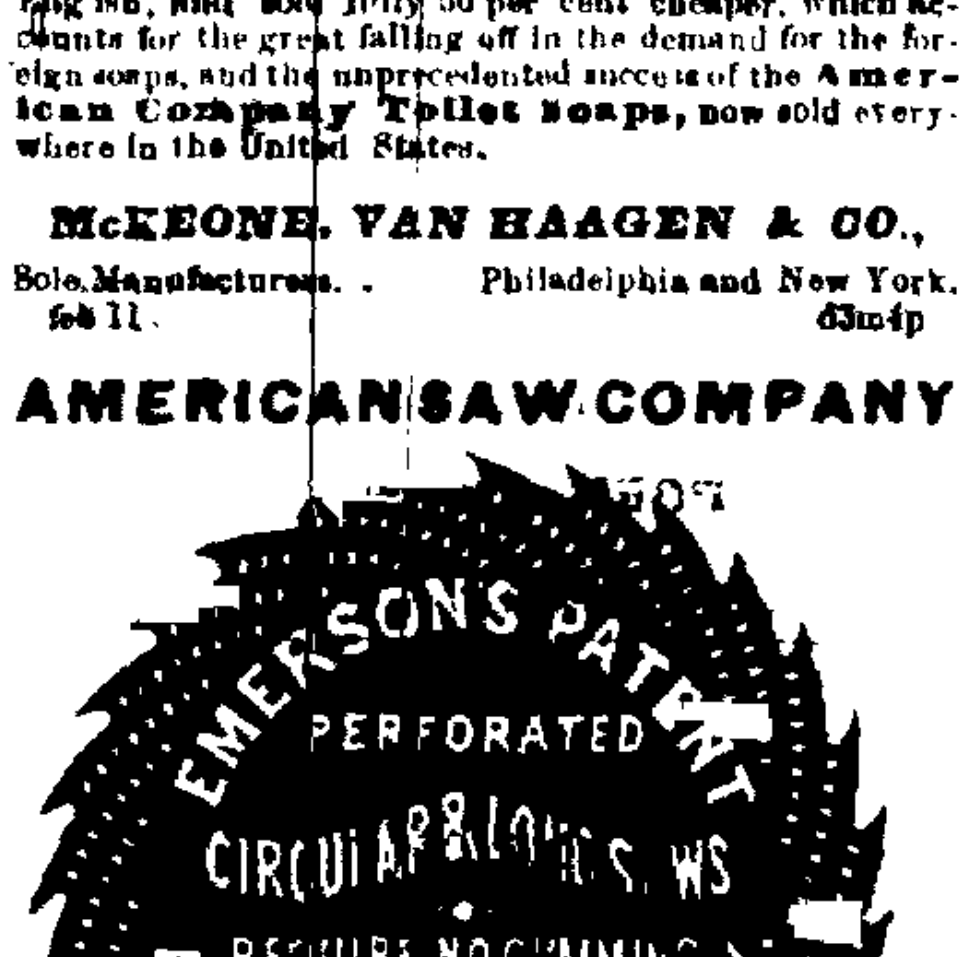

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AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the State of Oregon, against the estate of William H. [illegible], of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March, A. D., 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States against the estate of Q. Stelley, of Willamette Precinct, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him said debtor, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
feb3d30t U. S. Marshal for said District.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of James Bothwell, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 13th day of March, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
feb 6d30t U. S. Marshal for said District.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Isaiah Gear, of La Grand, in the county of Union and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Robert W. Cochran of LaGrand, in the county of Union, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of James Cunningham, of the Dalles, Wasco county, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, in said District, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—This is to give notice that on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John Williams, of The Dalles, county of Wasco and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j16d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of [illegible] Thomas of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. ja25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of H. S. Aiken, of Astoria, county of Clatsop and State of Oregon, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
Per W. H. WEST, Deputy. j14d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of December, A. D. 1868, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of James B. Harlow, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
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15142 From Fairfield, (n o) by Saint Louis, Waconda, Parkersville, Monitor, and Needy, to Oregon City, 26 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Fairfield Tuesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Oregon City by 6 p m;
Leave Oregon City Wednesday at 7 a m;
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15143 From Astoria, by Clatsop, Summer House, (n o) Elk Creek, (n o) Nehalem, (n o) Miami Point, (n o) Chilches Point, (n o) and Netarch Landing (n o) to Tillamook, 60 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Astoria Tuesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Tillamook next day by 6 p m;
Leave Tillamook Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Astoria next day by 6 p m.

15144 From Dallas, by Salt Creek and Hall's, (n o) to Grand Ronde, 20 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Dallas Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Grand Ronde by 12 m;
Leave Grand Ronde Tuesday at 2 p m;
Arrive at Dallas by 8 p m.

15145 From Portland, by Taylor's Ferry, (n o) Dayton, Amity, Rickreal, and Monmouth, to Corvallis, 80 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Corvallis next day by 7 p m;
Leave Corvallis Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Portland next day by 7 p m.

15146 From Centreville to Forest Grove, 5 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Centreville Monday at 10 a m;
Arrive at Forest Grove Monday by 12 m;
Leave Forest Grove Monday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Centreville by 3 p m.

15147 From Portland, by Hillsborough, Forest Grove, and West Chehalem, to Lafayette, 47 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Portland Monday and Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Lafayette next days by 1 p m;
Leave Lafayette Tuesday and Friday at 2 p m;
Arrive at Portland next days by 8 p m.

15148 From Salem, by Lincoln, to Wheatland, 27 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Salem Wednesday at 9 a m;
Arrive at Wheatland by 5 p m;
Leave Wheatland Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Salem by 5 p m.

15149 From Auburn, by Pocahontas, (n o) Riggsville, (n o) Birch Creek (n o) and Dealy's Station (n o) to Umatilla, with a branch to Granite Creek Mines, (n o) — miles and back, once a week.
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15150 From The Dalles, by Simcoe, (n o) to Thorpe's (n o) 90 miles and back, once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Thorpe's Wednesday by 7 p m;
Leave Thorpe's Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 7 p m.
Winter schedule six days.

15151 From Umatilla, by the county seat of Yakima County and the Snoqualmie Pass, to Seattle, Washington Territory, 225 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Umatilla Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Seattle Sunday by 6 p m;
Leave Seattle Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Umatilla Sunday by 6 p m.

15152 From Express Ranch, by Rye Valley, (n o) to Humboldt Basin, (n o) 18 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Express Ranch Wednesday at 12 m;
Arrive at Humboldt Basin by 7 p m;
Leave Humboldt Basin Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Express Ranch by 2 p m.

15153 From The Dalles, by Rockland, (n o) Washington Territory, Block House, (n o) and Simcoe (n o) to Yakima, (n o) 90 miles and back, once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Yakima Wednesday by 12 m;
Leave Yakima Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 12 m.

15154 From Albany, by Boston Mills, (n o) to Brownsville, 23 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Albany Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Brownsville by 5 p m;
Leave Brownsville Tuesday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Albany by 5 p m.

15155 From Portland, by Bridgeport, (n o) and Chehalem Gap, (n o) to Dayton, 36 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Wednesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Dayton by 6 p m;
Leave Dayton Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Portland by 6 p m.

15156 From Corvallis by King's Valley, Philomath, Summit, (n o) Summit, Haptonstall's, (n o) Pioneer City, Little Elk, Yaquina, Oysterville (n o) Newton and Toledo to Newport, seventy miles and back, three times a week from May to November, and once a week the residue of year.
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Leave Corvallis Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Newport next day by 6 p m;
Leave Newport Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 6 a m or at 6 p m;
Arrive at Corvallis Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday by 8 p m.
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WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB 17, 1869.

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates ... 74½@74[illegible]
New York Gold Quotations ... 134[illegible]

EAST PORTLAND SCHOOL.—The following is the report of the East Portland Public School for the quarter which ended last Friday, the 12th.

Grammar Department.—Whole number of pupils enrolled, 56, number of boys, 25; number of girls, 3[illegible]; average daily attendance, 45.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Females—Ada Allen, Mary Kerns, Katie Showers, Lizzie Saxton, Ruth Hosmer, Mary O'Malley, Ida Myers, Velesia Brown, Kate Kiernon, Jennie Lane, Della Kerns, Hannah Black, Martha Black, Mary Pierce, Annie Showers, Emma Showers, Almyra Boffington, Amy Kerns, Laura Frush, Eldora McCalla, Elizabeth Owen, Helen Cason, Carrie Moore, Minnie Nicholson, Jennie Cason, *Flora Neff, Emma Chase, Medora Clark.*

Males—Wilbur Kerns, Chas Smith, Wm Roberts, Jas Manly, Harry Lane, Andrew Wheeler, Wm Showers, Samuel Cason, Wm Smith, Frank Parker, Thos O Malley, E Down, Thos Carney.

J. W. PRATT,
Teacher.

Primary Department.—Whole number pupils enrolled, 39; number boys, 29, number girls, 10, average daily attendance, 23.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Louisa Bennett, Maggie Nicholson, Nellie Kerns, Mamie Austin, Mary Leverson, Katie Kerns, Mary Parker, Henry Parker, John Byrnes, Tennis DeBoest, John Daly, Biglow Neff, Willie Nicholson, Herbert Dalton, John Black, John O Malley, Josiah Rankin, Johnny Smith, Elmir Kern, Harry Austin.

ANNIE CORNELIUS, Teacher.

NOT TO BE TAKEN IN.—The other morning, one of the boys who sells morning papers to passengers on outgoing steamers, happening to be on the wharf just as the *Alert* was about to start, was hailed by a gawky-looking country Jake who stood on the boiler deck of the steamer, with "I say, boy! *hurry up* here; I want a paper." Boy hurried up and handed Jake a paper. Jake poked his head in at the cabin door and bawled out: "Sis, d'ye want a paper?" Sis thought she did. Jake adjured boy to *hurry in* and give Sis a paper. Boy did it. Jake seemed intensely satisfied, though he didn't present any symptoms, visible to the naked eye, of being about to reward Boy for his hurrying in to supply Jake and Sis with the current news. Boy, with expectant visage, stood around awhile and then suggested to Jake that he wanted a quarter of a dollar for the two papers. "What," says Jake, with evidently genuine astonishment, "d'yo charge for these yere things?" "You bet," says Boy; "I want a quarter for the two papers." "Well, I swow," says Jake, "you charge for em, eh? I'm derned ef I want em, then. I'd no idee you'd charge for these h'yere derned things. H'yer, Sis, bring that paper h'yer." And Jake gathered the two papers and handed them back to Boy, with a muttered affirmation that he "wasn't to be taken in and done for by no city chap, no how. Charge for newspapers, eh?" Boy thinks that, that sort of fellows are not the ones upon which newspaper people subsist.

THE "WILSON G. HUNT."—This splendid steamer will leave our waters to-day, bidding farewell, probably forever, to the Wallamet and Columbia, to ply hereafter upon Puget Sound. We have not learned from head quarters anything in relation to her command and crew, but we find the following item in the Victoria *Colonist* of the 10th, which is probably correct: "Capt. Wm Waitt has been appointed to the command of the steamer *Wilson G. Hunt*, now lying at Portland, Oregon, and has started for Olympia overland to bring her around to run as opposition steamer on Puget Sound. Capt Waitt has for several years successfully piloted the well known steamer *Eliza Anderson* through the tortuous channels of Puget Sound." The *Hunt* will go to Astoria and await fa[illegible] weather before attempting the p[illegible]ge around to the straits. As she is rigged up, however, she could safely encounter any ordinary sea and weather, outside. The *Hunt* is a fast steamer and comfortably and elegantly fitted up. The Sound people are lucky to have such a steamer upon their waters. As the O. S. N. Co. are going to run her, she may be considered a permanent institution on Puget Sound.

CIRCUIT COURT.—*The greater part of yesterday was* occupied in the taking of testimony in the case of Heath vs. Drs. Wilson and Glisan. It is an action for malpractice; damages laid at $50,000. Caples and Cronin for plaintiff; Logan, Page and Story for defendants. The case will be [illegible] this morning, and will probably occupy the Court for at least two days more. Its result is watch[illegible] by the medical fraternity with much interest. *The following were the pr[illegible] in other matters:*

John Hall & Son vs. David M[illegible]; dismissed upon terms. Logan, [illegible] & Killin for plaintiffs; Whalley & Fe[illegible] for [illegible].

State of Oregon, vs. Fred [illegible]; dismissed; costs paid by defendant.

The Grand Jury found true bills [illegible] Jack Williams and James Lamb, for [illegible] and ignored bills against —— Dublin and W. J. Te[illegible], each charged with assault with [illegible].

FIRE AT THE DALLES.—The [illegible] aphic account of the fire at the D[illegible] was accidentally overlooked in "making up" the paper yesterday morning: Dalles, Feb. 15th—A [illegible] fire occurred here last night at 6:30 P. M. Flames were seen issuing from the rear of the dry goods store of P. Peck, Esq. The building being of wood, the fire spread with great rapidity; and although the Fire Department was promptly on hand, that building with the adjoining one occupied by Max Vogt's variety store, was soon enveloped in flames. As the buildings on either side were fire proof, the fire was confined to these two houses, and no further damage done. Mr. Peck's loss is about $28,000, of which $15,000 is insured. Max Vogt's loss is about $10,000, $7,500 was insured. The fire is supposed to have originated from the falling of a kerosene lamp in Mr. Peck's store, which he had just left to go to supper.

THOSE WHO PAY INCOME TAX.—The following shows the number of persons assessed for income for 1867 and 1868, in each of the following classes:

1st income tax, $20 or less; 2d, over $20 and not over $50; 3d, over $50 and not over $100; 4th, over $100 and not over $500; 5th, over $500.

Classes	1867.		Classes	1868.	
1st	375	persons.	1st	370	persons
2d	403	"	2d	393	"
3d	244	"	3d	236	"
4th	162	"	4th	166	"
5th	25	"	5th	24	"
[illegible]	1,209		Total	1,189	

The [illegible] means tax paid. The list is furnished us by Mr. Thomas Frazer, the Assessor for the D[illegible] of Oregon.

[illegible] MANUFACTURE AT EAST PORTLAND.—The *Commercial* says: "We learn that Mr. Devine and others of East Portland, contemplate starting as soon as spring opens, a brick yard on that side. The nature of the clay, which is met with in great abundance, is thought equal, if not superior to any found in the vicinity of this city, or elsewhere for brick-making purposes. A reduction in the price of brick can be made, from the fact that the wood necessarily consumed in burning the kiln can be procured at $2 50 per cord, while it costs $4 on this side. Considering the demand for brick during the coming summer, a lively competition will doubtless be maintained among the several yards adjacent to the city."

COST OF CITY IMPROVEMENTS.—The items of cost of street improvements in this city since the 1st of July, 1868, are as follows:

[illegible] walks	$35,614 37
Crosswalks	4,884 13
Plank roadway	2,700 00
Broken stone paving	4,124 00
Gravel paving	1,212 00
Sand used	828 00
Earth excavation	15,117 55
Earth embankments	14,411 40
Total	$78,891 45

SALEM ITEMS.—We learn from the *Unionist* that Dr. Plummer, Division Superintendent of the Western Union telegraph line, was at Salem yesterday......T. J. Carter and Thomas H. Crawford, of this city, were also at Salem. The latter is spending his week's vacation in visiting relatives and old friends. Several parties have recently commenced to occupy offices in the new bank building......A general row occurred at the Magnolia Saloon Sunday night, in which one man had his head badly cut by a blow with a billet of wood.

A MODEL OBITUARY OF A "BIG INJUN."—One of our exchanges has the following obituary notice of "Jim" the Chief of the Washoe Indians: "He was a good, though very dirty, red man. He possessed a well-balanced head of hair, and stomach enough for all he could get to eat. His regard for the truth was notable—he never meddled with it. He left no will, and his estate consisted of a pair of boots."

AT HALF MAST.—The Fenian flag was displayed at half mast throughout the day yesterday. We made some inquiry as to the cause, but found no one who could speak authoritatively, though the general understanding seemed to be that it was in token of mourning for the execution of Whalan at Ottawa, Canada, on the 11th.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.—We call attention to the advertisement of C. E. Collins & Co., of a new article of watches and jewelry manufactured of composition called "gold metal." While the articles have all the appearance of gold and wear well, they are remarkably inexpensive.

GOOD TEMPLARS.—The Order of Good Templars is represented to be in a more flourishing condition of late than it was *some months* ago. Since September three new lodges have been organized, and the aggregate membership has materially increased.

BENEFIT TO JOHNNY GRAHAM.—The benefit tendered by the Ward & Lafont troupe, to Johnny Graham, will take place this evening at Oro Fino Theater. Johnny is unfortunate and deserves a substantial benefit. We shall hope to see a full house.

TELEGRAPH MATERIAL.—We noticed upon the O. S. N. Co.'s wharf, yesterday, a large lot of telegraph wire which the Company is about to ship up the Columbia to be used in the construction of the Portland and Boise line.

FESTIVAL.—Remember the festival to-night, given by the ladies of the Congregational Church, at the Washington Guard's Armory. A pleasant time may be anticipated.

REFITTING.—The steamship *Geo. S. Wright* is undergoing a process of renovation while detained here. Her crew were engaged yesterday in cleaning up and painting her decks.

SCARCITY OF TENEMENT HOUSES.—There are just at present fewer houses to be rented fit to live in, than at any previous time in the history of Portland. A stranger finds it almost impossible to find a vacant house, and even the Intelligence men who make it a specialty to know of every vacant house, find it difficult to procure good houses for their customers. The fact is the city is getting full and there is a necessity for building more houses to rent. There will be doubtless during the coming [illegible] the [illegible].

[illegible]

PRATT'S [illegible] has cured my children of Whooping Cough and Croup, and I advise all parents to have a [illegible].

J. H. ESTLER.

[illegible]

DANCING [illegible] are held every week [illegible] evening, and [illegible] Saturday afternoon [illegible] Hall, in [illegible] Building, First street.

NIGHT SCHOOL.—[illegible] has opened a Night School in the [illegible], near the Catholic Church. [illegible] Teacher.

[illegible]

Miscellaneous Items

"Not guilty," said an Omaha jury, "if the prisoner is smart he will leave the Territory before night."

Forty-seven American families, all but seven from the North, are invited to all the gala parties at the Tuileries, in Paris.

Several accidents have lately occurred on the Union Pacific railroad, smashing several engines, but causing no personal injuries.

Mrs Myra Clark Gaines has offered to donate to Louisiana a whole block in New Orleans on which to erect a State House, and will give another block to the French Orphan Asylum.

Workmen cutting ice in Chicago the other day were horrified to find that they had completely severed the head from the body of a human being, whose remains were imbedded in the ice.

President Johnson, according to a Washington dispatch in an evening paper, intends to retaliate on Grant for not visiting the White House on New Year's day, by ignoring all connection with his inauguration on the 4th of March.

Ex-Governor Bramlette, S. S. Nichols and H. J. Stites, Judges of the Supreme Court, and several other eminent Democratic lawyers of Kentucky, have petitioned the Legislature of that State to pass an act admitting negroes to testify in courts.

The Richmond *Journal* says that the feeling manifested by late rebels over the death of John Minor Botts was that of extreme joy, and that it was more open than the joy manifested at President Lincoln's assassination, because there was less fear of public vengeance.

Wendell Phillips never gets tired of spitting at Grant. He is now out against him bitterly for his "childish reticence" and "obstinate silence." He compares him with the meanest and most contemptible character in American history, and describes him as "thoroughly American in the worst sense of the name during our worst times."

There is a sad financial muddle about the payment of the expenses of the Abyssinian war. The Indian Government found the cash for the whole affair, or nearly $[illegible]25,500,000 in all—half of which was to be repaid by England. But as the *total bill was double the amount expected, India* had to borrow from the Bank of Bengal, which is now pressing for payment. India, in turn, has to press the Home Government, and the latter is at its wit's end to raise cash. It was an expensive amusement, sending "the elephants of Asia to carry the artillery of Europe over the mountains of Rasselas."

PUGET SOUND.

[From Olympia Papers.]

There were nine ships loading at Port Gamble, having an average tonnage of one thousand tons each, being the largest number of big vessels that has ever loaded at one time at any port on the Sound. Business is very lively on that spit in consequence. The new mill is progressing rapidly.

Mr. Daniel McKay arrived on Monday last with a few yoke of work cattle from the Willamette valley. A portion of them were sold here, and the balance are being driven down by the trail to Hood's Canal. Mr. McKay reports good work oxen as very scarce wherever he has been, in this territory and Oregon.

By posters about town, we see the steamer *Libby* is advertised to run regularly between Olympia and Port Townsend, leaving this place on Tuesdays and Saturdays.

On Monday evening the first snow of the season fell, attaining about half an inch in depth, and quickly disappearing the next day. It is getting so late in the season that very little more can be expected.

CONFEDERATE GENERALS.—The following from the Frankfort *Yeoman* show who the full generals were:

Colonel J. S. Johnson:

DEAR SIR: Recognizing you as authority in matters pertaining to the late Confederacy, the following questions are respectfully submitted—your decision to be supreme in deciding a small wager:

1. How many full Generals were in commission at the close of the war?
2. Their names in order of rank. Was Gen. Lee, as Generalissimo, subject to the order of President Davis or any other power?
3. Was Gen. Lee placed in supreme command of the armies by Congress, and why?

Respectfully, A. E. E.

ANSWER.

1. There were five regular generals at the close of the war, ranking in the order named as follows: Samuel Cooper, R. E. Lee, J. E. Johnston, G. T. Beauregard, and Braxton Bragg. Under an act authorizing the temporary rank of general to be conferred, Generals E. Kirby Smith and J. B. Hood were made generals in 1864—the former in April, the latter in July.
2. Gen. Lee, as General in Chief, was subject to the orders of President Davis, who, by authority of the Constitution, was Commander-in-Chief of the armies.
3. General Lee was placed in command of all the armies of the Confederacy by Congress, in order to enable him to transfer troops from one army to another without application to the War Department, as would have been otherwise required. The object was to enable the military strength of the Confederacy to be concentrated with more rapidity and the operations of the armies to be conducted with more unity of purpose, rendered more necessary by the conferring of similar powers upon Gen. Grant.

The wickedest woman in Kankakee, Ill., became such a nuisance that the Common Council voted her a new dress, $30 and her fare, if she would marry and emigrate. She agreed and this was the ceremony as performed by a police justice.

"Jim, you do agree to take Mollie, and live with, and go to Cheyenne with her, and stay with her, regardless of law and consequences?"

"Yes."

"Mollie, you do agree to take Jim, and live with him, and go to Cheyenne with him regardless of law and consequences?"

"Yes."

"Then I give you these two railroad tickets, and order you to stay there until the Vigilance Committee hang you both. Amen."

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[illegible]

Portland, Jan. 2[illegible], 1869.

REDEMPTION.

State Bounty Bonds!

STATE OF OREGON, Treasurer's Office, [illegible]

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until [illegible] M. March [illegible], 1869, for the surrender of BOUNTY BONDS issued under the provisions of "An Act of the Legislative Assembly [illegible] Bounties [illegible] [illegible] United States [illegible] approved [illegible] 1864 [illegible] Bonds. [illegible]

Eighteen Thousand Dollars are now in the Treasury applicable to the redemption of said bonds.

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State Treasurer.

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AT THE METROPOLITAN HOTEL,
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[illegible] GRAND BALL AND GIFT ENTERTAINMENT. The Ball will take place on the evening of the Fourth of [illegible], to take place on the [illegible] P. M.

TICKETS FOR THE BALL AND DRAWING GIFTS
$[illegible] EACH. SUPPER $2 00 EXTRA.
[illegible] TICKETS [illegible] TICKETS
$[illegible] TICKETS, $[illegible]

20 Valuable Gifts!

amounting in the aggregate to

$9,000

[illegible] distributed among the holders of Tickets. [illegible] Tickets will be disposed of.

THE FIRST GIFT will be—

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J. Davis' Livery Stable, and Corral,

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A Good Garden,

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Other Jewelry;
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REV. T. L. ELIOT, on Tuesday, Feb. 23.
Subject—"History of Railroads."

REV. A. L. LINDSLEY, on Tuesday, March 9th.
Subject—To be announced.

DR. J. H. BILL, U. S. A., on Tuesday, March 23.
Subject—"Physical Differences between Man and the Lower Animals."

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May 8, 1868. dtf Superintendent.

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THE [illegible] EVER SAW [illegible] Washington streets [illegible]
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ALL GENTLEMEN HANKERING FOR THE FINE Cigars [illegible] N. E. corner of First and Washington streets.
W. B. NORMAN.

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB 17, 1869

The Isthmus of Darien

Caleb Cushing acting as agent for the nited States, has negotiated for the right to onstruct a ship canal across the Isthmus of arien, and the treaty has been sent by the resident to the Senate for confirmation.

Several routes have at various times been roposed for this canal, but it is now general conceded that their number has been re uced to two, namely, that from the Gulf of an Miguel to Caledonia Bay, and that om Bayona river to the Gulf of San las. The first of these routes is thirty-ine miles, the latter thirty miles in ngth. There has been no very accurate sur ey of the first route, but it is proposed to ollow for some distance the streams which nter the respective oceans from opposite ides, and thence cut a canal over the summit vel. The other route embraces the grand nd audacious project of a tunnel through the ountains, seven miles long, one hundred eet wide, and one hundred and fifteen feet igh. It is claimed that this route has been ccurately surveyed and mapped, and that minent engineers have pronounced it practicable. The rude estimate of the cost of this Titanian work is $100,000,000. The two outes appear to be about one hundred miles part—that for which the grand tunnel is proposed being the northernmost one. It has een demonstrated that the mean tide level is he same in both oceans, but the tides in the Pacific rise to a height of about twenty feet, while in the Atlantic, immediately opposite, hey rise but two or three feet. This fact would make tide locks necessary. The canal would require a mean depth of water of about hirty feet.

In comparison with this stupendous engineering feat, all others dwindle to insignificance. As a commercial project it is one of the very greatest and most important ever conceived. In a political point of view, it would be a magnificent stroke of policy for the United States, as it would virtually give us the key to the door of half the commerce of the world. The money of New York is ready to commence the project, several of the heaviest capitalists of the metropolis having organized a company for the purpose some time ago.

For several centuries this project of obtaining control of the Isthmus of Darien and providing a channel for the world's commerce has engaged the attention of commercial projectors. More than one European power has considered it. But since America has grown to opulence and greatness, it has seemed most natural that American enterprise should take hold of the great work of "guillotining that tempting neck" and uniting the two oceans.

One of the most tragical and disastrous of all the early projects of the Europeans for taking possession of the American continent was a scheme which was organized in Scotland nearly two centuries ago to seize the Isthmus of Darien, open communication between the ocean and change the direction of the commerce of the rich kingdoms of Asia. Probably the fullest, and certainly the most gorgeous, account which has ever been given of this enterprise is related in the fragmentary volume of "Macaulay's History of England," published after the death of the writer. The volume, being an unfinished one, has been little read; and we may therefore be pardoned for drawing from it a brief account of that great attempt and disastrous failure.

The enterprise had its origin in 1695; William Paterson was its projector. Scotland was poor, but Paterson remembered that Tyre, established on a bare rock, had once been the center of the wealth of the East; that Venice, built on a shoal of dreary islands, had possessed riches far exceeding those of any northern kingdom; that Amsterdam, founded in a desolate marsh from which the ocean on one side and the Rhine on the other were with difficulty kept out by art, contained the most prosperous community in Europe. Commerce had done all this, and might not Edinburgh or Glasgow rise to similar opulence? Paterson's idea was to find in America some spot which might be a resting-place between Scotland and India, and by controlling the trade of the world, make his country the greatest emporium that had ever existed on the globe. The isthmus which joined the two continents of the New World was the spot he had fixed upon. Let but that precious neck of land be occupied by an enterprising race, and in a few years the whole trade between India and Europe must be drawn to that point. Whoever possessed that door of the sea, that key of the universe, would give law to both hemispheres. A company was formed, a monopoly was given by royal charter, subscription books were opened, and every man who could raise one hundred pounds sterling was impatient to put down his name. About two hundred and twenty thousand pounds were paid in, a prodigious effort for such a people, and greater in proportion to their means than was ever put forth in any other commercial undertaking. More than one hard-working man laid out the whole savings of a lifetime to buy a share for his children. The money embarked in the undertaking was four times greater than the ordinary annual revenue of the kingdom. Various delays prevented the expedition from sailing until the summer of 1698. The number of seamen and colonists who embarked was twelve hundred. But it was impossible to find room for all who were desirous of emigrating. Numbers secreted themselves in the ships and when discovered, refused to depart, clung to the rigging, and were at last taken on shore by main force. So great was the infatuation, though none of the adventurers knew *where they were going. After a long voyage* they reached the isthmus, took possession of the land, and called it Caledonia, a name which a bay on the Atlantic side still retains. They built a fort, mounted fifty guns, commenced a city which they called New Edinburgh, and which was destined, as they hoped, to be the great emporium of both Indies. In Scotland the exultation was boundless. The next summer thirteen hundred additional men were dispatched by the company to Caledonia. This second expedition sailed, as had the first, amid the acclamations of all Scotland. When the new comers reached Darien they were astounded to find, instead of a flourishing young town, a forsaken wilderness. Most of the first occupants had perished, and the miserable remnants of the colony had fled four months before the arrival of the second expedition. The mortality among the new comers immediately became very great, and to crown their miseries a Spanish expedition appeared, claimed the isthmus in the name of Spain, made prisoners of the survivors and compelled them to vacate the country. A handful of stragglers, the remains of the colony which was to have been the garden, the warehouse and the mart of the whole world, their bones peeping through their skin and hunger and fever written in their faces, arrived in the Hudson river. A very few lived to see their native country again. Two thousand persons had perished. Of all the ten thousand bubbles of which history has preserved the memory, none was ever puffed more skillfully, soared higher, glittered more brilliantly, or burst with a more lamentable explosion. The historian says that after a lapse of nearly two centuries it may be well doubted whether feelings hardly compatible with temperate examination will not be stirred up in many minds in Scotland by the name of Darien.

But there was certainly a mixture of truth in this magnificent day-dream. The long continued demand for opening a channel of communication across the isthmus is a partial vindication of Paterson's idea. His great mistake was in foolishly taking it for granted that men bred in a high latitude could be at once transferred to the region of the equator and live and flourish there. Had it been possible at that time for European emigrants to live on the isthmus, good common roads might have been built and a rich trade directed through that channel, but the grand project of a ship canal must necessarily have been postponed for the engineering skill of the present day.

Small Notes

There are those who pretend to be horrified because Gov Fenton of New York has been elected U. S. Senator, and assert that money procured his election. Now the fact is that Fenton is poor, while his late rivals are all rich, and if the longest purse had won, Senator Morgan would have been re-elected.

The Republican Central Committee of Washington Territory have issued a call for a Convention, to be held at Claquato on the 20th of April for the purpose of nominating a Delegate to Congress and Prosecuting Attorneys for the several districts of the Territory. Alvan Flanders has written a letter in which he says (naturally enough) that he desires a re-election to Congress, and the Olympia *Transcript* supports him.

The New York *Wolrd*, which began by lauding General Grant and endeavoring to make him the candidate of the Democratic party, and then, its scheme having failed, bespattered him with the foulest abuse and declared that his intellectual calibre was below that of the men he was employing to groom his horses, *has changed its tactics again, and now calls* him a great and able man. Such are the "immutable principles of Democracy."

It seems not to be fully established that Banks was ordered to relieve Grant in 1863. Dana, of the New York *Sun*, who was Assistant Secretary of War at the time, contradicts the statement. The Washington correspondent of the *Tribune* says that Stanton also "authorizes" a denial. The controversy is a very pretty one as it stands; but Gen. Grant, rightly thinking that the matter does not affect his reputation, has nothing to say about it.

The Democratic newspapers in the State are in a general broil all round. Brown of the *Press* says Pennoyer of the *Herald* lies. Pennoyer says Brown lies. Brown makes damaging statements against Abbott of the *Democrat*, and Abbott says Brown lies. We suggest to our cotemporaries that they could save much time and labor by simply adopting as a motto for their respective papers the declaration of a noted character of whom we have an account in Holy Writ—"All men are liars." This would greatly shorten the whole controversy.

Condition of New York.

We have frequent accounts of murders and other ruffianly outrages in New York City, with statements that many citizens deem it necessary to go armed for self defense and that vigilance committees have been formed in most of the wards to co-operate with the police in punishing thieves and assassins. The New York *Times* considers this state of things a result of the laxity and favoritism of the elective judiciary of the city. The police is controlled by the Republicans, while the judiciary is elected by the Democratic party, which dominates in the city by an immense majority. When ruffians are arrested they are taken by the police to the nearest magistrate and discharged, not because they are innocent, but for political reasons. Every such arrest makes an enemy for the police and its party. Every such discharge buys a vote for the judge and his party. There is no inducement held out to the police to make arrests under these circumstances; they make by doing so an enemy not only for their own party and the force to which they belong, but for themselves personally; and the ruffians are by no means desirable enemies. The police naturally fear to make enemies of dangerous characters by arresting them only to be discharged. It is only when the roused public gives expression in unqualified terms to its horror at some horrible crime that the judiciary will act. And often the public feeling subsides during the law's delay, and the criminal escapes to the end. The *Times* shows that under the fostering care of such a judiciary, organized bands of plunderers and assassins have grown up in the heart of the city, and that they are constantly increasing in numbers and strength. That paper despairs of a remedy so long as the city is saddled with the present system of an elective judiciary. So long as scoundrels can elect their own judges they are reasonably safe from punishment. In fact, "Democracy" in New York has budded, blossomed and brought forth its legitimate fruit. These plug-uglies are the fellows who think that quiet, honest, hard-working colored men are unfit to vote. Hence they hang negroes to lamp posts, and burn colored orphan asylums.

THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT. The House of *Representatives*, by a very large majority, has refused to concur in the suffrage amendment adopted by the Senate. It is therefore clear that the proposition will have to be greatly modified e before it obtains the assent of both branches of Congress. It could hardly have been submitted in a worse form than as it came from the Senate, and it is gratifying to learn that the House has refused its concurrence. An amendment properly regulating the exercise of the suffrage will be ratified by the States, but if it does not recognize the political situation in a practical way, it will be overwhelmingly defeated. This is no time for visionary theories.

Wendell Phillips ridicules in his sharpest style Gen. Grant's demand for economy in the administration of the Government. This is, he says, "thoroughly American in the worst sense of the name, in our worst times,"—far more contemptible than Patrick Henry's patriot's cry of "beef, beef," in Washington's starving camp. The duty of the day, Mr Phillips says, is to secure the rights of the negro. When Gen Grant will "throw himself" into that, he, Mr. P., "will feel obliged to believe in him."

Gov Hayes has communicated to the Ohio Legislature the memorial for repairing the grounds inclosing the tomb of President Harrison, with a recommendation that the State accept the guardianship of the tomb, as proposed.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

DATES TO FEBRUARY 16.

Darien Canal Treaty.

NEW YORK, Feb 16.—The treaty negotiated by Caleb Cushing with the government of [illegible] concedes to the United States the exclusive right to construct an inter-oceanic canal across the Isthmus of Darien at any point that may be selected by the United States. The Columbian government cedes six miles of land on each side of the canal, [illegible] for the party undertaking the construction. The Columbian government is to receive ten per cent of the net income the first ten years, and after the canal is paid for 25 per cent of the net profits, the treaty to be ratified by the United States. The surveys are to be made within two years after ratification, the canal to begin in five years and to be finished in fifteen years after the ratification, otherwise the charter fails. The charter is to run 100 years, and the canal to be under the control of the United States. Congress is to fix the rate of toll and the navigation is to be open to all nations in time of peace, but closed to belligerents who may seek to avail themselves of its advantages. It is estimated that the canal will cost one $100,000,000. The company not long ago was organized in New York, with Peter Cooper as President. It is said on distinguished authority that this company is ready to commence this work. Congress is however at liberty to give the preference to this or any other private company, or the United States can itself undertake the construction of the canal.

Junction of the Pacific Railroads

CHICAGO, Feb 16.—The *Republican's* special says Huntington, of the Pacific Railroad, submitted his argument to the Congressional Committee yesterday. He claims that the Union Pacific Company are not making what the law requires in relation to the class of road, but are constructing a road with a view to getting as many bonds as possible. He further claims that the Central Pacific Company have complied with the law and therefore is entitled to proceed to East Ogden, where the junctin of the two roads ought *to be fixed. The Union Pacific Company are now* within about thirty miles of this point. The Central Pacific Company are upwards of two hundred miles distant. The committee had a long discussion on the subject, but no conclusion was reached. The matter will be resumed at the next meeting, when a report will be expected.

Washington News

WASHINGTON, Feb 16.—Senator Morgan presented the memorial of Donohoe & Kelly, the London and San Francisco bankers, and other influential parties, *advising* that Stewart's bill excluding refining from the operations of the Mint be referred to the Finance Committee.

The Senate has received from the Attorney General copies of all correspondence in relation to the case of Gonzoles against the United States, including strong letters from Attorney General Bock and Bates, denouncing the claims.

Mr. Conness is moving Heaven and earth for a Cabinet position. Every man in California who can be induced to his support is sending letters to Grant. Messrs Conness and Billy Carr are now in New York seeking the influence of Marshall Roberts and other politicians. Grant is adverse, but the pressure is heavy.

The President has pardoned John Dralin, who was convicted of a whisky fraud about a year ago.

Miscellaneous.

BOSTON, Feb. 15.—Federhen's jewelry store was robbed of $2,000 worth of jewelry last night by two men who seized a tray of rings and made their escape.

NEW YORK, Feb 16.—A Havana special says that a thousand more troops have arrived from Spain.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 15.—Gen. Sheridan is expected here soon, and Gen. Sherman will return from the South this week. It is stated that the 7th cavalry will be withdrawn from the Indian country.

Mrs. Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony lectured at the Mercantile Library to night to an immense audience. Mrs. Stanton will address the Illinois Legislature on woman's suffrage.

Charles Bedford and James Quick, charged with murder, were taken from the Jefferson county jail at two o'clock this morning by a mob and hanged.

Deaths from Hydrophobia.

Mr Charles W. Leedham died of hydrophobia yesterday. A little dog bit him in the hand a month ago. Two children near Flatbush also died of last week of hydrophobia. Several more cases are reported in the vicinity of Brooklyn. A man in Patterson, New Jersey who was bitten by his own dog on New Year's day, died of hydrophobia *yesterday. The wound was a mere scratch.*

From Cuba.

The *Gazette* says that no disturbance is likely to occur from the withdrawal of the amnesty.

The new order defines disloyalty thus: high treason, insurrection, conspiracy, harboring rebels, criminal coalition with the enemy, coalition of journeymen laborers, and propagation of alarming news that tends to disturb peace and order.

The Havana authorities refuse to recognize the *American Consul except as a commercial agent.* Naturalized Americans are being imprisoned without charges or trial. The Consul must leave unless supported from Washington. Americans desiring to leave the Island are obstructed by the government.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—In the United States Supreme Court yesterday, Chief Justice Chase *decided that gold contracts must be satisfied with* coin, and that when the kind of currency is not mentioned, legal tenders are lawful. The decision is of great importance and amounts to nothing less than affirming the validity of private contracts for payments in a specific currency, whether expressed or authorized by law or not, and by giving legal tender notes a secondary place, recognize gold and silver as the true monetary standard.

At the session of the Board of Supervisors last night, Mr. Canavan made charges implicating some of the members of the outside land Committee of corrupt charges. The charges were made in a very circumstantial and deliberate manner, and will become the subject of an investigation by the Grand Jury.

The new gas company petitioned for permission to lay pipes through the city, and to compete with the old company in furnishing gas to the city.

James Kane, second engineer of the steamer *Yosemite*, fell off an embankment near the corner of Montgomery and Green streets, yesterday, and was instantly killed.

The retail dry-goods clerks have carried their point, and all the stores of that character were closed at 7 o'clock last evening.

A Port Townsend dispatch of February 11th, announces the return to that port in distress, of the bark *Caroline Reed*. She was to discharge her lumber from her deck and sail for San Francisco with a double crew.

Private telegrams report a further advance of one per cent in the price of crushed sugar in New York, now held at 19 cents. The same article in this market is 18 cents, firm at 17 cents.

Mining Stocks

Ophir, $42½; Gould & Curry, 107; Savage, 67; Chollar, 167½; Hale & Norcross, 87; Point, 67½; Jacket, 72; Imperial, 113; Kentuck, 230; Alpha 52; Overman, 73; Belcher, 17; American, 18; Lady Bryan 8¼; Occidental, 28.

Monetary

Legal tenders 74½ buying, 74¾ selling.

Gold, 135.

U S 5-20's 111@111¼, an advance of about one cent since yesterday.

Pacific Mail 117½.

New York Markets

Flour $6@10 50.

California wheat $1 95 was bid and $2 asked, a decline of 5c since yesterday.

Liverpool wheat quotations have again reached 11s [illegible].

Produce Market.

Flour 200 bbls Santa Clara, superfine, private; 200 bbls do extra, $5 00.

Wheat—800 sks shipping, per *Alice*, sold prior to arrival, private; 600 sks fair do to arrive, $1 72½. At the close, 600 sks fair, $1 75; 1,000 sks do, $1 70; 1,000 sks choice shipping $1 8[illegible]. The demand for the moment is quiet. We quote common to fair at $1 60@1 70; fair to choice shipping, $1 70@1 75; small lots of choice milling, if wanted, would command $1 77½@1 80.

Barley—is quoted at $2 00@2 20 for feed and $2 20@2 30 for brewing, the latest figures being the asking price for sound lots of choice.

Oats—We quote sales of two lots of California of 100 and 400 sks extra, to dealers, private. Extra, $2@2 20; Oregon, $2 10@2 25.

Shipping

Arrived, Feb 15th—Ship *Harvey Mills*, from Port Blakely; bark *Jenny Bertaux*, Seabeck; bark *Jenny Pitts*, Seabeck; bark *Aurora*, Teekalet; bark *Nimrod*, Port Blakely; schooner *Clara Light*, Steilacoom; schooner [illegible], Sitka; barkentine [illegible], Port Ludlow.

Sailed, Feb. 15th—Bark *Frances Palmer*, for Sitka.

Sailed, Feb. 16th—Steamer *Continental*, for Portland.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

PARIS, Feb 15.—Cazott, French Consul at San Francisco, was appointed to succeed Montgand at Shanghae. The latter was appointed Consul General.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—It is officially announced that the insurgent chiefs of Crete have all submitted to the Turkish authorities and the island is tranquil. In Greece the new ministers revoke their predecessors' military preparations. Late dispatches state that a combat took place at Swatow between the Chinese inhabitants and the crew of a British gunboat, the *Grasshopper*. The sailors fought desperately but were outnumbered by the natives whose numbers constantly increased and were compelled to retire to their ship.

We have news from Japan via Shanghae. The Mikado had removed the Ministers of foreign powers to Yeddo with great ceremony, and showed an earnest desire to maintain peaceful relations. Detailed advices from Rio fully confirm the previous report of the evacuation of Asuncion by the Paraguayan Government, and the flight of Lopez into the forest.

MADRID, Feb 15.—Olozaga has resigned his seat in the Constetutant Cortez and taken the appointment of embassador to France.

Ex King Ferdinand, father of the *reigning* King of Portugal, has accepted the candidature for the throne of Spain.

The arrests of Carlists continue in this city and different parts of the country. Regiments of the regular service and large numbers of volunteers daily offer their services to the Government for the suppression of the revolt in Cuba.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb 15.—The Sultan has appointed Ali Pasha as Grand Vizer and Minister for foreign affairs, Ras hid Pasha, Minister of the Interior, Mahomet Pasha, Governor of Bagdad, and Omar Pasha, Governor and Commander in Chief of Candia.

FROM THE NORTH.

SEATTLE, Feb 15.—The February term of the U. S. District Court convened here this morning. An unusual amount of business is to come before this court.

The saw mill at Port Madison has suspended work for a few days to allow necessary repairing to be done. Messrs. Yeslers & Co's new saw mill at this place will commence cutting lumber in about five days.

A heavy gale visited this section on Tuesday last prostrating the telegraph line to a greater extent than any storm since 1865. No other serious damage reported.

The sloop *Kate Alexander* arrived here yesterday with a prisoner in custody of the Deputy Sheriff of Teekalet, who was arrested for cutting and wounding a shipmate on board the ship *David Hoadley*.

VICTORIA, Feb 16.—*In the Legislature yesterday* Mr Robson gave notice that he would move an address recommending the allowance of 75 cents per barrel on flour manufactured from foreign grain on which duty had been paid.

The steamer *Active*, on her last trip from Portland to this port, had her machinery badly damaged. She will be detained here for several days in consequence.

SEATTLE, Feb. 16.—Workmen are engaged driving a new gang way into the coal mine at Bellingham Bay, with the view of getting out more coal.

A mail route has been established between Umatilla, Oregon, and this place, via the county seat of Yakima county and the Snoqualmie pass. Distance 225 miles, mails to be carried once a week each way.

STATE ITEMS.

Messrs Bristow & Co of Eugene City have put up about 18,000 pounds of hams this winter, which the *Journal* claims are equal to "Cross' best."

A Eugene paper says that two efforts have been made to reach the head of navigation on the Wallamet this winter, but both have failed. It is certainly a misfortune to have the head of navigation so far up on a river that boats cannot reach it.

The *Unionist* says: M. N. Chapman, who arrived yesterday contradicts the rumor that there is any small pox on the reservation. There is one case, and but one, on the bay—Yaquina—and that is so managed that there will probably be no spread of the disease.

The Albany *Democrat* tells of a party of practical jokists in that town, who sought to sell a greeney by getting him to hold a snipe bag. The party crossed the Calipooia in a small boat and stationed the sack holder, and then commenced beating through the brush for snipe. Greeney saw the trick, sloped for the boat and quietly proceeded to town. The smart alecks soon came to where the boat had been moored, when they saw their situation in a different light from what they expected. A walk of three miles to the bridge was the result.

A double wedding party recently arrived in Dayton, Ohio, consisting of a father and son and their brides, two sisters, of whom the father married the younger.

ENTERPRISE TRIUMPHANT.—The OREGON DISPENSARY is establishing a reputation second to no house on the coast as a first class and *Cheap Drug Store.*

Our success has been so flattering that we have sent for another Apothecary. We have also secured the valuable services of Dr J. A. CHAPMAN as Consulting Surgeon and Physician, thus giving evidence of our desire to afford the *best* of everything to our patrons for their liberal *patronage*. LORYEA & KALLENBERG, 73 First street.

OPPOSITION LINE OF STEAMERS.—A private letter from San Francisco says that a strong and well regulated Steamship company was formed in that city for the purpose of running a line of steamers regularly between San Francisco and Portland. The steamers are known to be suitable for the Oregon trade, and are noted for good speed and splendid passenger accommodation. The people of Oregon will have an opportunity of showing whether they are willing to patronize good and staunch steamers, at a reasonable price for freight and passage, as it will depend on the patronage these steamers will receive whether they will remain in our waters or not.

While you think of opposition, remember that KOHN & FISHEL, No 81 Front street, have the finest stock of Clothing and Dry Goods, and sell at very low prices.

NEW TO-DAY.

New Article of Watches & Jewelry

CALLED COMPOSITION "GOLD METAL," which has all the appearance of fine Gold, wears well and is very handsome.

PRICE OF MEN'S WATCHES IN HUNTING CASES:

Lowest price Watches, gold metal or white metal	$8 00
Beautiful engraved case, anchor lever	15 00
" octagon shaped case, fine finish	15 00
Heavy American style	16 00
Half size, engraved case	10 00
Beautiful stem winders, nice size watches	20 00
LADIES WATCHES—HUNTING CASES	
Lowest price watches	8 00
Beautiful engraved case, anchor lever	10 00
Extra fine engraved and Enamel, very handsome	25 00
CHAINS:	
24 different styles of vest chains, very handsome, each	3 00
24 different styles long neck chains for Ladies	6 00
Leontine chains to fasten with B pin	5 00
SLEEVE BUTTONS:	
24 different styles—plain, black, enamel, engraved and with coral—per pair, each	3 00 6 00
Shirt Studs, per set	3 00
Beautiful sets Pins and Ear rings, enameled, with or without coral	3 00
Children's sets, Pin and Ear rings, engraved and enameled, with and without coral	5 00
We have Ladies' watches, very beautiful in 18 carat gold cases, WARRANTED	35 to 50 00

We deal largely in the finest GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, at about one third less than the usual rates. To select, send for a price list.

We can send any of the above goods by Express, to be paid for on delivery.

C. E. COLLINS & CO.,
feb17daw3m4p 603 Montgomery st, San Francisco

Private Boarding.

FAMILIES AND OTHERS DESIRING PLEASANT Rooms, will do well to call at
No. 23 North Third street,
KNOWN AS THE
"WHITE HOUSE."
[illegible] will be spared to make Boarders comfortable. Day Boarders solicited.
TERMS REASONABLE. d30eodtf

MRS. F. DALTON,
WILL GIVE LESSONS IN VOCAL AND PIANO Music. Terms very reasonable. For particulars enquire at Shanahan & Hellman's Music Store, or at Residence Corner Sixth and Madison streets.
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Superior Yellow Goshen Butter,
JUST RECEIVED EX "CONTINENTAL," and for sale by
McCRAKEN, MERRILL & CO.
feb16lm

POWDER AND SHOT, for sale by
j6 H W CORBETT & CO.

ROPE, OF ALL SIZES, for sale by
j6 H W CORBETT & CO.

NEW TO-DAY.

VARNISHES,
OF ENGLISH AND AMERICAN MANufacture—a full supply, at the lowest market rates.
HODGE, CALEF & CO.,
Dealers in Drugs, Paints, Oils and Glass,
97 FRONT STREET

THE LADIES OF THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
WILL HOLD
A FESTIVAL!
On Wednesday Evening, Feb. 17, 1869,
AT THE
WASHINGTON GUARD ARMORY,
on Stark street, between 1st and 2d. The occasion will afford the friends of Dr. ATKINSON an opportunity of meeting him.
P. S.—Those wishing to contribute Refreshments will please send them to the Hall on Wednesday morning.
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THE CELEBRATED
"FLORENCE"
SEWING MACHINE,
With all of the
LATEST IMPROVEMENTS!!
Is on Exhibition and For Sale at
Shanahan & Co.'s
MUSIC AND ART GALLERY,
ON FIRST STREET.
The FLORENCE feeds the work either way, and will sew from three thicknesses of leather to tissue paper without change of Tension, Needle or Cotton.
It will also make beautiful Ruffling without the least change in the Machine.
It is the simplest and most durable Sewing Machine yet offered to the public.
N B.—Machines can be taken on trial, or be purchased and paid for in Monthly payments. We guarantee to teach purchasers to operate the Machines perfectly, without extra charge.
CALL AND SEE THEM! F. L. TILESTON,
feb16dtfawlm Agent

THE SALEM
FLOUR MILLS!
ARE RUNNING AND IN
Complete Operation!
THE PROPRIETORS HAVING SECURED THE services of a head miller from the well known "Pearl & Saxony" mills, of St. Louis, Mo., which stand so high in the New York market, they think they are prepared to manufacture as good an article of Flour as any mills on the Pacific coast.
Family, Bakers' Extra, Superfine,
and Graham Flour, constantly on hand. Also, Middlings, Shorts, Bran and Chopped Feed.
feb16d3m R. C. KINNEY, Agent

W. WEATHERFORD. J. W. WEATHERFORD.
WEATHERFORD & CO.,
DRUGGISTS,
DEALERS IN
DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, CHEMICALS,
Glass, Brushes, Varnishes,
PERFUMERY, FANCY AND TOILET ARTICLES,
EXTRACTS, ACIDS, HERBS, ALL OF THE
POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES,
DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, PAINTERS' MATERIALS,
For sale, Wholesale and Retail, at *reduced rates!*
Dealers and consumers are invited to give us a call.
PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY PREPARED.
WEATHERFORD & CO.,
feb6 139 Front Street. dtf

HARLEY McDONALD,
ARCHITECT,
HAS RETURNED AGAIN TO THE OLD TRAMPing-grounds, and is ready to engage anew in Portland with his old friends and all that call upon him in his line of business, having had a long experience in Drafting Plans and superintending the erection of many of the best Buildings in the State, especially in Salem, during the last eight years.
FOR REFERENCE.
Judge Wilson, of Salem.
Jos. Holman's residence, at Salem.
Col. I. R. Moores' " "
E. M. Waite's " "
Gov. Woods' " "
Sprenger's Hotel, Albany,
Church at Forest Grove;
and many others in different parts of the country. Plans of Bridges also drawn to order, &c. feb15dlm

VELOCIPEDES,
All Kinds and Sizes,
For sale, and made to order, by
PALMER, KNOX & CO.
GOLDEN STATE IRON WORKS,
19 FRONT ST., SAN FRANCISCO.
Parties having purchased previous to Dec. 1st, will please return and exchange for our *Improved Machines.*
feb16daw2m

OSCAR KILBORN,
AUCTIONEER.
WILL ATTEND TO THE SELLING OF REAL ESTATE, STOCKS, MERCHANDISE, FURNITURE, &c., AT AUCTION.
OFFICE.—No. 2 Holmes' Building.
feb16dtf

For Sale.
AT A LOW FIGURE—
ONE SOLAR CAMERA.
ONE VIEW TUBE, (Orthoscopic, with Patent Diaphragm)—Views 14x17 inch.
ONE 1-4 PORTRAIT TUBE;
TWO 1-9 PORTRAIT TUBES, and BOX.
[All Warranted.
feb14tf AT BUTCHEL'S GALLERY.

Notice.
THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ODD FELLOWS Hall Association of Portland, will take notice that an Assessment of 10 per cent has been levied on the Capital Stock of the Association, payable at the Office of the Secretary, on or before the 28th inst., Corner Front and Washington streets—Assessment No. 2.
By order of the Board of Directors.
JACOB STITZEL, Secretary.
Portland, Oregon, Feb 15, 1869. feb16td

Grape Cuttings.
I HAVE JUST ARRIVED FROM THE VINEYARDS of California, and have
A FEW THOUSAND CUTTINGS,
of the Earliest, Hardiest and Best Varieties of Grapes now being cultivated in that country.
Persons desiring will give me a call, or order through mail or Express. Prices as usual.
ISAAC F. STREET,
feb13dawlm*p East Portland

SAM. A. MORELAND,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Office Up Stairs, No. 100 Front St.,
PORTLAND, OREGON
j25 dtf

To Let.
FURNISHED HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS, FURNITURE new, large double parlors, and two bedrooms. Centrally located and a pleasant place. Rent $ [illegible] Address Box W, Portland P. O., stating name and place where an interview can be had. f3dlm

To Rent.
THE STORE LATELY OCCUPIED BY J. C. MEUSSDORFFER & BRO. as a Hat Store—71 Front street.
Enquire at this office. j18tf

SIXTH CONCERT
OF THE
PORTLAND
PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY,
—AT—
PHILHARMONIC HALL,
Friday Evening, Feb. 19, 1869.
[illegible]
Each Ticket admitting a person, One Dollar.
Hall [illegible]
PROGRAMME.
Chorus—Joy to Freedom to-day [illegible] Benedict
[illegible]
feb16dtd

SIXTH
ANNUAL BALL
OF THE
WASHINGTON GUARD!
WILL BE GIVEN AT
ARMORY HALL.
On the Evening of February 22d. 1869.
Committee of Arrangements:
H. W. HEATH, S. V. FULLER,
JAS. BOTHWELL, C. C. McCREMMIN,
ED. WICKS, E. J. JEFFREY,
JNO COTTER, J. DAVIDSON,
A. BUSHWILER.
TICKETS $2 50
Military gentlemen are requested to appear in Uniform. feb13dtd

QUACKENBUSH & CO.,
IMPORTERS OF
HARDWOOD LUMBER,
COACH, CARRIAGE, AND WAGON MATERIALS,
No. 26 Front Street,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
feb13 dawlm

For Fort Tongass,
FORT WRANGLE, AND SITKA, A. T.
The California, Oregon and Mexico S. S. Company's
STEAMSHIP
ACTIVE,
F. C. SHOLL, Commander,
Will leave Couch's Wharf,
ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1869,
For Victoria,
Connecting with the Company's steamship John L. Stephens, Commander, for the above Ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply at the Office of the Company, No. 9 Front street. GEO. W. WEIDLER,
feb9dtd Agent

For Victoria, V. I.,
Fort Tongass, Fort Wrangle,
AND SITKA, ALASKA.
THE STEAMSHIP
GEO. S. WRIGHT,
HENRY LANGDON, Commander,
Will sail for the above Ports on or about
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1869,
immediately after arrival of next steamer Continental.
For Freight or Passage, apply ON BOARD.
Portland, Feb 15, 1869. dtd

MERCER'S PIONEER LINE
New York & Portland
Fifth Vessel!
THE NEW A 1 EXTREME CLIPPER BARK
"ADELINE ELLWOOD,"
900 Tons Capacity,
Having a considerable portion of her Freight engaged will have immediate dispatch to this port.
BROCKWAY & BAKER,
20 South street, Agents in New York.
McCRAKEN, MERRILL & CO.,
14 & 16 N. Front street,
feb 15dlm Agents in Portland.

REDEMPTION.
State Relief Bonds.
STATE OF OREGON, Treasurer's Office,
Salem, Feb. 11, 1869.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVed by the undersigned, at his office, until 12 o'clock M., March 13th, 1869 for the surrender of RELIEF BONDS, issued under the provisions of "An Act of the Legislative Assembly granting Relief to Volunteers of this State [illegible] approved Oct. 24, 1864 [illegible] *Ten Thousand Dollars* now in the Treasury applicable to the redemption of said Bonds.
Bids addressed to E. N. COOKE,
feb15d5d State Treasurer.

For Liverpool, Direct!
THE NEW A 1 AMERICAN CLIPPER BARK
HELEN ANGIER,
1100 tons capacity, E. STAPLES, Commander, will leave this Port for Liverpool, direct, about the 1st of March. [illegible]
Liberal advances made on consignments at the usual rate of interest.
For Freight, apply to McCRAKEN, MERRILL & CO.
Portland Feb 11 1869. d2waw4t

Terms of the Select Private School,
[illegible]
B. CORNELIUS, A. M.
For Pupils under [illegible]
NO EXTRA CHARGES!
[illegible]

J. F. CAPLES. [illegible] MORELAND.
CAPLES & MORELAND,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
[illegible]
PORTLAND, OREGON.
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Notice.
THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE CREDITORS of J. Levy, bankrupt, at the office of W. Lair Hill Esq., in the city of Portland on the 26th day of February, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
fe 5 dld J. GOODMAN, Assignee.

A. B. RICHARDSON,
AUCTIONEER.
Corner of Front and Oak Streets.
AUCTION SALES
OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL MERCHANDISE AND HORSES.
Sale Days—Wednesday and Saturday.
aug26 A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

At Private Sale.
ENGLISH REFINED BAR, [illegible] IRON,
do SQUARE & OCTAGON CAST STEEL,
HORSE SHOES, FILES, RASPS, SAWS,
SCREWS, FRY PANS, SHEET IRON, KG IRON.
ALSO
Large assortment of GROCERIES & LIQUORS.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Regular and Peremptory Sales
OF
Groceries. Furniture,
General Merchandise, &c.
ON WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17, 1869,
At 10 o'clock A. M.
I will sell at my Auction Sales Room,
[illegible] JAVA COFFEE,
[illegible] bags RIO.
ALSO.
100 boxes CANDLES,
50 [illegible] SOAP.
ALSO.
20 chests CHOICE JAPAN TEA,
50 [illegible] YOUNG HYSON.
ALSO.
100 bbl. bbls DRIED APPLES,
50 [illegible] DRIED PEACHES.
ALSO.
FURNITURE.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
OF
Valuable Real Estate.
I will sell at the Court House door, on
Thursday, Feb. 25, '69,
At 2 o'clock, P. M.,
Block F in Caruther's Addition to the City of Portland.
ALSO.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 in Block 85 Eighty-Five.
ALSO.
Fractional parts of Lots 9 and 10 in Block 85.
ALSO.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 in Block Eighty-Six.
ALSO.
Fractional parts of Lots 7 and 8 in Block 86.
ALSO.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block Eighty-Seven.
ALSO.
Fractional parts of Lots 4 and 5 in Block 87.
ALSO.
Fractional parts of Lots 2, 3, 4 and 5 in Blocks Eighty-Eight (88) and Eighty-Nine 89.
The above described property, with exception of Block F, are in Raleigh's addition to the City of Portland. This property is also situated in a rapidly improving neighborhood, and attention of parties desiring to make investments is particularly called to this sale.
Terms Cash in U. S. Gold Coin.
Cost of deeds at purchasers' expense.
W. S. LADD,
Administrator of estate of P. Raleigh, dec'd.
A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

PIONEER
MACHINE SEWING FACTORY
AND
REPACKING ESTABLISHMENT.
ESTABLISHED 1852.
ALL KINDS OF BAGS ON HAND AND MADE TO ORDER. MERCHANDISE REPACKED.
ALL WORK GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED.
An Insurance Policy covering all losses by fire, on Goods in transit for Manufacture or Repacking.
J. W. COOK,
NO. 4 CENTRAL BLOCK,
FRONT STREET.
d4—2p Below O S N Co's Buildings.

ON HAND AND FOR SALE!
40,000 GILROY'S BEST BURLAP GRAIN BAGS.
30,000 FLOUR SACKS.
WIDE DUCK, FOR WAGON COVERS, TENTS, &c.
MACHINE SEWING TWINE.
ALSO—BURLAPS 30-INCH COTTON GOODS, &c., FOR BAGGING. J. W. COOK.
d4tf

S. SHERLOCK & CO.
52 Front St., Portland,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
SADDLERY HARDWARE.
SADDLES!
BRIDLES, WHIPS,
DOUBLE & SINGLE BUGGY HARNESS,
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